DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

INTERFEROMETRIC SYSTEM FOR THE SIMULTANEOUS MEASUREMENT OF THE INDEX OF REFRACTION AND OF THE THICKNESS OF TRANSPARENT MATERIALS, AND RELATED PROCEDURE

the spe	ecification of whic	ch is attached he	reto unless the follo	wing box is checked:	
X					mber of PCT Internationa (if applicable)
	-		nderstand the content nent referred to abo		fied specification, including
	wledge the duty t I Regulations, §		nation which is mate	rial to patentability as	defined in Title 37, Code o
Interna have al	tional application so identified belo	which designate bw, by checking t	ed at least one count he box, any foreign	ry other than the Unite application for patent) or § 365(a) of any PCT ed States, listed below and or inventor's certificate, or which priority is claimed.
RM 20 (Number	02 A 000397 er)	Italy (Country)	24 July 2002 (Day/Month/Year)		Priority Not Claimed □
	y claim the bend tion(s) listed beld		35, United States co	ode, § 119(e) of any	United States provisiona
(Applica	ation No.)	(Filing Date)			

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any United States application(s), or § 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or Pct International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of

Federal Regulation, § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application.

(Application No.) (Filing Date) (Status) (patented, pending, abandoned)

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statement were made with the knowledge that will ful false statement and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statement may jeopardize the validity of the application of any patent issued thereon.

Power of Attorney: As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agents) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: (list name and registration Number)

Customer No. 24106 John S. Egbert; 30,627 Andrew W. Chu; 46,625 Al Harrison; 31,708

Send Correspondence to:

Harrison & Egbert 412 Main Street, 7th Floor Houston, Texas 77002 USA

Direct Telephone Calls to: (name and telephone number)

John S. Egbert; 713-224-8080

09 July 2003

09 July 2003

Full Name of Sole or First Inventor: Gjuseppe COPPOLA

Inventor's Signature

Residence:

Post Office Address:

Citizenship:

POMIGLIANO D'ARCO (Napoli) ITALY

54, Via Emilia

80038 POMIGLIANO D'ARCO (Napoli) ITALY

Full Name of Second N Inventor, Rietro FERRARO

Inventor's Signature

Residence: Citizenship:

Italy

Napoli, ITAĻ

Post Office Address:

11, Via Cavalleggeri d'Aosta

80124 Napoli ITALY

(More Inventors on the following page)

Date

Full Name of Third Inventor: Mario IQDICE 09/07/2003 Inventor's Signature Residence: Napoli, ITALY Citizenship: Italy Post Office Address: 176, Via Posillipo 80123 Napoli ITALY Full Name of Fourth Inventor: Sergio DE NICOLA PopodeNila Date 09/07/2003 Inventor's Signature Napoli, ITAL Residence: Citizenship: Italy

> 89 Via Cimarosa 80127 Napoli ITALY

Post Office Address:

(Page 1 of 1 additional page of inventors)